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RE: ADM File No. 2009-29 – Proposed Amendment of Rule 5.208 of the Michigan Court Rules

Dear Clerk Davis:

At its March 29, 2011 meeting, the Executive Committee of the State Bar of Michigan considered the above rule amendment published for comment. In its review, the Executive Committee considered recommendations from the Justice Policy Initiative. The Executive Committee voted to support the proposed amendment. The Executive Committee supports the rationale for the change as provided in the staff comment included in the proposal.

We thank the Court for its publication of the proposed amendment. Please contact me with any further questions.

Sincerely,



Janet Welch
Executive Director

cc: Anne Boomer, Administrative Counsel, Michigan Supreme Court
W. Anthony Jenkins, President